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FOR NEA/AFN MS. KING FROM MELONE

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR LY US

SUBJECT: APPROACH ON U.S.-LIBYAN RELATIONS

REF: KING/MELONE LETTER O/ AUGUST 11

1. ENVELOPE MARKED LIBYAN EMBASSY BUYING OFFICE, 17 RUE KEPPLER, PARIS, AND ADDRESSED TO ME WAS DELIVERED TO EMBASSY AUGUST 19. IT CONTAINED ONLY WHAT APPEARS TO BE A COPY OF A TELEX SENT AUGUST 17 TO WINIFRED WEISLOGEL AT THE DEPARTMENT. MESSAGE READS: "I HAVE BEEN FULLY INFORMED BY MR. SPYROS ON THE SUBJECT DISCUSSED DURING YOUR MEETING OF JUNE 29, 1976. I AGREE TO VISIT WASHINGTON D.C. FOR A MEETING WITH THE OFFICIALS YOU MENTIONED TO MR. STIGUAS. MR. STIGUAS WILL BE IN TOUCH WITH YDU TO COORDINATE THE DATE OF THE MEETING. VERY TRULY YOURS, M. F. DAKHIL, DIRECTOR".

2. DAKHIL IS SHOWN ON THE QUAI DIPLOMATIC LIST AS MR. MUFTAH DAKHIL, MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY (NUMBER TWO) OF THE LIBYAN EMBASSY AND AS MARRIED. EMBASSY BIOGRAPHIC INFORMATION INDICATES THAT HE IS A COLONEL WHO HEADS
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THE LIBYAN MILITARY PURCHASING MISSION IN RANCE AND

COORDINATES MILITARY PURCHASES IN FRANCE AND EUROPE. HE
HAS BEEN HERE AT LEAST SINCE 1973. NEITHER HE NOR
ANYONE ELSE HERE HAS YET APPROACHED ME DIRECTLY. SHALL
TAKE NO FURTHER ACTION UNLESS THE DEPARTMENT SO IN-
STRUCTS.
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